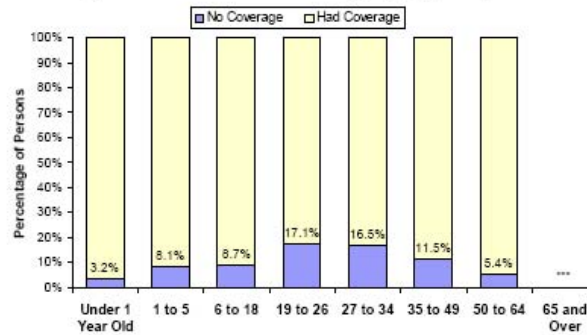




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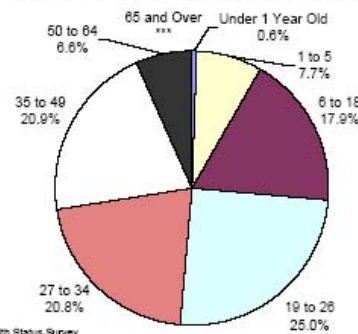


Figure 1.3 Health Insurance Coverage by Age, Utah, 2004



Source: 2004 Utah Health Status Survey  
\*\*\* Not enough data cases to provide a precise estimate

Figure 1.4 Percentage Distribution of Persons With No Health Insurance Coverage by Age, Utah, 2004



Source: 2004 Utah Health Status Survey  
\*\*\* Not enough data cases to provide a precise estimate

- Among those age groups with enough data to report, infants under 1 year (3.2%) were the least likely to be without health insurance. This percentage decreased since 2003 from 5.4%.
- Persons aged 19 to 26 were the most likely to be uninsured, followed by those aged 27 to 34.

2004 Utah Health Status Survey, Utah Department of Health

This graph displays data for Utah by selected demographic subgroups.

The pie graph displays how the uninsured population is distributed across demographic subgroups.

This bulleted text highlights selected findings from the graphs and the supporting tables.

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3. This column includes the survey estimates and the 95% confidence bounds for the measure. In this table, for example, for the total population of Utah, 10.2% reported no health insurance coverage. The 95% confidence interval ranges from 8.9% to 11.6%.

4. This column provides the estimated number of Utahns at risk, according to the measure. It is calculated by multiplying the survey estimate by the number of people in the population. In this example, the estimated number of males who were uninsured is 130,300 (10.2% x 1,244,302). This number is always rounded to the nearest 100 persons.

2. The second two columns provide estimates of the population size and distribution across the subgroups in column 1. For example, in this table, males make up 50.4% of the total population and account for 1,244,302 of the total 2,469,230 estimated Utah population.

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Table 1. Percentage of Persons With No Health Insurance Coverage by Sex, Age Group, Sex and Age Group, Poverty Status, Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity, Employment Status, and Education Level, Utah Residents, 2004

Demographic Subgroup	Population Size		Survey Estimates of Persons Without Health Insurance			Number of Persons <sup>3,4</sup>	Percentage Distribution by Demographic Subgroup <sup>5</sup>
	Percentage Distribution	Number of Persons <sup>1</sup>	Confidence Bounds	Lower	Upper		
2004 Utah Population	100.0%	2,469,230	10.2%	8.9%	11.6%	251,500	100.0%
Sex							
Male	50.4%	1,244,302	10.5%	9.0%	12.1%	130,300	51.8%
Female	49.6%	1,224,928	9.9%	8.6%	11.4%	121,100	48.2%
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,469,230	10.2%	8.9%	11.6%	251,500	100.0%
Age Group							
Under 1 Year Old	2.0%	50,515	3.2%	1.2%	8.6%	1,600	0.6%
1 to 5	9.7%	238,550	8.1%	5.8%	11.3%	19,400	7.7%
6 to 18	21.1%	520,800	8.7%	6.8%	11.0%	45,200	17.9%
19 to 26	15.0%	369,311	17.1%	14.0%	20.6%	63,100	25.0%
27 to 34	12.8%	316,947	16.6%	13.5%	20.1%	52,600	20.8%
35 to 49	18.5%	457,324	11.5%	9.4%	14.1%	52,700	20.9%
50 to 64	12.5%	307,883	5.4%	4.0%	7.1%	16,500	6.6%
65 and Over	8.4%	207,820	***	***	***	***	***
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,469,230	10.2%	8.9%	11.6%	251,500	100.0%
Sex and Age Group							
Males, Under 1 Year Old	1.0%	25,655	4.4%	1.2%	14.4%	1,100	0.4%
Males, 1 to 5	5.0%	122,344	7.4%	4.8%	11.2%	9,100	3.6%
Males, 6 to 18	10.8%	267,010	8.9%	6.7%	11.8%	23,900	9.5%
Males, 19 to 26	7.5%	184,136	18.4%	14.3%	23.3%	33,800	13.4%
Males, 27 to 34	6.7%	166,138	17.2%	13.6%	21.7%	26,600	11.3%
Males, 35 to 49	9.4%	233,003	11.5%	9.0%	14.7%	26,900	10.7%
Males, 50 to 64	6.2%	152,992	5.9%	3.9%	8.9%	9,100	3.6%
Males, 65 and Over	3.8%	93,124	***	***	***	***	***
Females, Under 1 Year Old	1.0%	24,860	***	***	***	***	***
Females, 1 to 5	4.7%	116,206	8.9%	5.8%	13.5%	10,400	4.1%
Females, 6 to 18	10.3%	253,790	8.4%	6.3%	11.1%	21,400	8.5%
Females, 19 to 26	7.5%	185,175	15.9%	12.3%	20.2%	29,400	11.7%
Females, 27 to 34	6.1%	150,809	15.8%	12.3%	19.9%	23,800	9.4%
Females, 35 to 49	9.1%	224,321	11.5%	9.1%	14.4%	25,800	10.2%
Females, 50 to 64	6.3%	154,971	4.8%	3.3%	6.9%	7,400	2.9%
Females, 65 and Over	4.6%	114,798	***	***	***	***	***
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,469,230	10.2%	8.9%	11.6%	251,500	100.0%
Poverty Status							
<100% Federal Poverty Level	9.9%	244,400	27.8%	21.5%	35.2%	68,000	28.3%
101-200% Federal Poverty Level	25.2%	621,500	16.3%	13.0%	20.1%	101,000	42.1%
201-300% Federal Poverty Level	25.1%	619,100	5.6%	3.9%	7.9%	34,500	14.4%
>300% Federal Poverty Level	39.9%	984,200	3.7%	2.6%	5.2%	36,400	15.2%
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,469,230	10.2%	8.9%	11.6%	251,500	100.0%
Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity							
Hispanic or Latino	10.6%	261,600	33.0%	26.3%	40.5%	86,300	33.6%
Not Hispanic or Latino	89.4%	2,207,700	7.7%	6.6%	8.9%	170,300	66.4%
Total, All Utahns	100.0%	2,469,230	10.2%	8.9%	11.6%	251,500	100.0%

See footnotes at end of table.

5. This column provides an estimate of how the Utahns at risk are distributed across the population subgroups in column 1. It is not a distribution of the total population, only those Utahns at risk, according to the measure. This number is calculated by dividing the number of persons in the subgroup who are at risk by the total number of persons reporting in that subgroup. For example, in this table, among the total population reporting no health insurance, 51.8% were male (130,300/251,500) and 48.2% were female (121,100/251,500).

2004 Utah Health Status Survey, Utah Department of Health



Several tables in this report span two pages, as seen here. In those instances, the table name and column headings are repeated at the top for clarification. All footnotes for tables appear only once at the bottom of the table.

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Table 1 (continued). Percentage of Persons With No Health Insurance Coverage by Sex, Age Group, Sex and Age Group, Poverty Status, Hispanic or Latino Ethnicity, Employment Status, and Education Level, Utah Residents, 2004

Demographic Subgroup	Population Size		Survey Estimates of Persons Without Health Insurance				
	Percentage Distribution	Number of Persons <sup>1</sup>	Percentage of Persons <sup>2</sup>		Confidence Bounds		Percentage Distribution by Demographic Subgroup <sup>4</sup>
			Lower	Upper	Number of Persons <sup>3,4</sup>		
<b>Employment Status, Aged 19-64</b>							
Full Time	57.7%	837,300	9.0%	7.6%	10.7%	75,600	42.8%
Part Time	18.1%	262,000	13.4%	10.6%	16.7%	36,000	19.8%
Retired	3.3%	48,400	3.3%	1.3%	8.1%	1,800	0.9%
Keeping House	10.6%	153,300	14.5%	11.2%	18.7%	22,300	12.6%
Full Time Student	2.3%	33,200	23.0%	14.6%	34.5%	7,600	4.3%
Unemployed/Other	8.1%	117,300	28.3%	23.9%	35.4%	34,400	19.5%
Total, All Utahns, Aged 19-64	100.0%	1,451,400	12.5%	11.1%	14.1%	181,500	100.0%
<b>Education Level, Aged 19-64</b>							
Some High School	5.4%	78,100	38.7%	30.4%	47.7%	30,200	16.6%
High School Grad/Some College	54.4%	790,000	14.0%	12.1%	16.2%	111,000	61.8%
Technical/Vocational Degree	9.5%	138,300	9.9%	6.9%	14.0%	13,700	7.6%
4 Year College Degree or More	30.7%	445,100	5.6%	4.2%	7.4%	24,700	13.8%
Total, All Utahns, Aged 19-64	100.0%	1,451,400	12.5%	11.1%	14.1%	181,500	100.0%

1 Population estimates of sex, age groups, and ethnicity based on 2004 Baseline projections, Governor's Office of Planning and Budget, REMI model system; all others based on the 2004 UHHS and rounded to the nearest 100 persons.

2 Asymmetric confidence bounds (Smyth and Smithers, 1999).

3 Rounded to the nearest 100 persons.

4 Figures in these columns may not sum to the total because of missing values on the grouping variables.

\*\*\* Insufficient sample size for calculation of population estimates.

- Persons living in households with incomes below 100% of poverty were significantly more likely than others to lack health insurance coverage.
- Persons living in households with incomes at or below 200% of poverty were nearly five times as likely as others to lack health insurance coverage.
- In general, as poverty level rises, so does the rate of persons with health insurance coverage.

Relevant bullet points are also found after tables where space allows.